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# The Greatest Integer Function

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The Greatest Integer  
gives zero  
from one half

Creating  
hints of a form  
hidden behind steps

Attempts to read  
between the lines  
on charted paths

Result in  
less than or equal to  
what was once had